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In re the application of:

Kikuo YAMADA, et al.

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FOR: CLEANING TOOL, AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING CLEANING PORTION
CONSTITUTING THE CLEANING TOOL

Date: august 17, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the subject application,
please amend the application as follows:**Amendments to the Specification** begin at page 2 of this
paper.**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.